

I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates.

Loosening the FCC rules on media ownership will increase power to the few that are in charge and sharply decrease diversity and local viewpoints in our already limited media sources. Large media companies have already failed in areas of investigative reporting and analysis due to their concern of profits over actual news. Myself and my media conscious friends will be watching to see if the interest of the people will be attended to. I'm sure the FCC's truest goal is in the interest of the people and not media conglomerates. We the people do not want the ownership safeguards loosened.